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*Removal of restrictions on vessels from Glasgow and Liverpool.*HAVRE, FRANCE, *November 28, 1901.*

SIR: Referring to my dispatch No. 94 of November 7 last, relating to the sanitary inspection at Havre of vessels clearing for certain ports of France from Glasgow and Liverpool, I have the honor to inform you that the minister of the interior of France has decided that the above-mentioned British ports are no longer infected with the bubonic plague, and the quarantine officer of this port has been notified that the regulations requiring all vessels clearing from Liverpool and Glasgow to French ports from Pontorson to St. Valery-sur-Somme to first enter the port of Havre for medical inspection, are now no longer in force.

Respectfully,

A. M. THACKARA,  
*United States Consul.*

Hon. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

## GERMANY.

*Report from Berlin—Plague in various countries.*BERLIN, GERMANY, *November 30, 1901.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit the following information obtained from the imperial health office at Berlin:

*Plague.*

FRANCE.—The steamship *Saghalien* of the Messageries Maritimes, which arrived from the Levant at Marseilles on November 7, with passengers and cargo, had to be sent back to Frioul on the 9th instant, as the sanitary officers found a large number of dead rats in the ship. The health of the passengers and crew was, however, good. After thorough disinfection the vessel was allowed to leave the quarantine station and on November 14 proceeded on the voyage to Constantinople.

GREAT BRITAIN.—In Glasgow up to November 18 no further case of plague had been recorded. The 4 isolated plague patients in the hospital are on the way to recovery.

RUSSIA.—Of the 2 deaths from plague in Odessa (the diagnosis being duly determined by bacteriological examination), the second of which occurred on November 2, one of the victims was a waiter in an eating house near the harbor, and the other was a German living in the center of the town, who it is claimed had not been in the vicinity of the harbor. Between November 10 and November 12, 3 further cases of sickness (supposed to be plague) occurred in Odessa.

EGYPT.—Between November 8 and November 15, 2 fresh plague cases occurred in Egypt.

BRITISH INDIA.—During the week ended October 25, 10,036 new plague cases occurred in the Bombay Presidency and 7,061 deaths (as compared with 10,284 cases and 7,427 deaths during the foregoing week). In the city of Bombay during the same period 175 new plague cases and 176 deaths were registered, while 183 deaths were designated as suspected plague.

CHINA—*Hongkong*.—For the seven weeks from August 17 to October 5, 31 plague cases and 29 deaths were recorded.

MAURITIUS.—During the period from September 6 to October 10, 193 cases of plague and 136 deaths occurred on the island.

MOZAMBIQUE.—In Magude, 140 kilometers from Lourenco Marquez, according to a telegraphic report of November 19, 5 cases of plague have been registered.

CAPE COLONY.—During the week ended October 26, 6 cases of plague